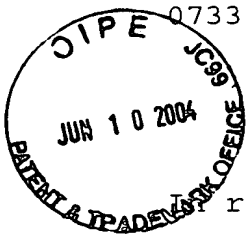


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Re Application of: Graham W. Glass  
Serial No.: 09/451,506  
Filing Date: November 30, 1999  
Group Art Unit: 2141  
Examiner: Adnan M. Mirza  
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR  
COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN A CORBA  
OBJECT REQUEST BROKER AND A  
NON-CORBA OBJECT REQUEST BROKER

NOTIFICATION OF EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136

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